

Remarks

Claims 14-15; 18-20; 22-23; 26-38 are currently pending.

Claims 14, 26, and 34 – 36 are independent.

Claims 20, 23, 28, 31, 35 and 36 are currently amended.

Claim 20 is amended to correct two typographical errors in the letter designations (i) and (l).

Claim 23 is amended to correct a typographical error in the sequence to read QQQPPKA.

This sequence is found in Sequence ID No. 25

Claims 28 and 31 are amended to correct the sequence as

KEAVVFVTKLKREVCADPKKEWVQTYIKNLDR--QQQPPKA

Claims 35 and 36 are amended to replace the references to Figures to the proper corresponding sequence IDs.

Applicants believe the above amendment places the claims in compliance with the requirements for applications with amino acid disclosures.

Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration and allowance of the claims is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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